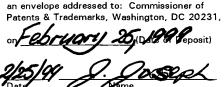


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In re Application of:

HOWARD L. WEINER et al.

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Art Unit:

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Examiner:

P. Achutamurthy

For:

TREATMENT OF AUTOIMMUNE DISEASES BY ORAL

ADMINISTRATION OF AUTOANTIGENS

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated August 25, 1998 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 9, 11-

13, 15, and 20-26.

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The item(s) checked below are applicable:

- [X] An extension of time to respond to the final rejection is required: a petition and fee of \$870 are enclosed.
- 2. [] A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
- 3. [X] Fee \$300.00: [] Fee \$150.00 (small entity): [X] Enclosed
 - [] Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)
 - [X] Charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 04-0100

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: February 25, 1999

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